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Subject: Serial No.: 10/067,112
Our Ref No.: ASC 5695 US2

Thank you for your time and assistance on May 31st in regard to the above application.

As discussed, we are herewith submitting a corrected version of the Preliminary Amendment with Marked Version previously sent on February 4, 2002.

This corrected version corrects typographical errors in the clean version of Claims 3, 11 and 22.

In claims 3 and 11, the word ~~ore~~ after iron was inadvertently omitted. In Claim 22, the word ~~a~~ before "polymer selected from the group" was also omitted.

The Election was already filed on May 20, 2002 and Claim 3 was one of the elected claims.

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Patent
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Application of:
STEEGHS, H., et al.

: Docket No.: ASC 5695 US2

Serial No. (Parent): 08/032,525

: Group Art Unit (Parent): 1742

Filing Date: Concurrently herewith

: Examiner (Parent): M. Andrews

Title: PROCESS FOR AGGLOMERATING
PARTICULATE MATERIAL AND PRODUCTS :
MADE FROM SUCH PROCESSES :

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Preliminary to examination, please amend the above-identified application
as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, please change lines 1 and 2 to read as follows:

-- PROCESS FOR AGGLOMERATING PARTICULATE
MATERIAL AND PRODUCTS MADE FROM SUCH PROCESSES

This application is a continuation of application Serial No. 08/032,525, filed
March 15, 1993, now on appeal, which is a continuation of application Serial No.
07/788,971, filed November 7, 1991, now abandoned .--

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 2, 5, 6, 10, 13, 14, 18, 23 and 27-36 without prejudice
and amend claims 1, 3, 8, 9, 11, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 24 as follows: